

United States Bankruptcy Court
Southern District of New York

In re:

*Motors Liquidation Company, et al.,
f/k/a General Motors Corp., et al.*

Debtors

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) Case No. 09-50026 (REG)
) Chapter 11
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**RESPONSE OF DEBTORS
OBJECTION TO PROOF OF CLAIM #70180**

TO THE HONORABLE ROBERT E. GERBER,
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Betty E. Dalton submits this response concerning the Debtors objection to late-filed claim, #70180, based on the following:

ARGUMENT

- 1) The Debtors did not adequately communicate Bankruptcy filing information in the rural area in which I live.
- 2) The discovery of the lawsuit began when I was contacted by General Motors by email in late February 2010, inquiring if I would be interested in purchasing a new vehicle. The email was received a few weeks after I had viewed a TV episode concerning vehicle safety crash tests that included the year and model of the vehicle in which was my husband was fatally injured in 2007 due to the failure of airbags to deploy. Only after several contacts with General Motors customer service in March 2010 concerning the non deployment of airbags recall, was I informed of the lawsuit and given the contact information. It took about 2 weeks to compile the supporting documentation to adequately file Proof of Claim dated March 30, 2010.
- 3) General Motors is accountable for product they manufacture along with the consequences when they fail to function properly especially in the loss of human life.
- 4) Proof of Claim #70206 is a duplicate claim and needs to be removed from this case.

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